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APPARATUS FOR MANAGING REMOVABLE STORAGE MEDIA THAT CAN BE CONNECTED THERETO, AND METHOD, PROGRAM, AND SYSTEM LSI FOR MANAGING REMOVABLE STORAGE MEDIA	:	<b>Mail Stop: AMENDMENT</b>

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 24, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: